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ASPECT has completed a photo survey up the San Juan/Animas but was only able to move up the Animas about 2 miles due to low ceiling. Current conditions in Durango are poor at 2300 ft AGL ceiling. We continue to monitor the weather in the area.

The aircraft is returning to base and will we pull all data and get it in for processing. Data collected for yesterday afternoon is being final processed and will be uploaded starting in about 1 hour.

I think we may be in a holding pattern while we wait for conditions to improve up near the mine.

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